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February 6, 2008, 18:00

The Race to the White House: An Analysis of Super Tuesday

Location:

Landesvertretung Baden-Württemberg Tiergartenstr. 15 10785 Berlin

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William D. Chandler, PhD University of California, San Diego

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Ralf Beste

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The panel discussion will be moderated by:

Dr. Constanze Stelzenmüller, The German Marshall Fund of the United States

Reception following.



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Professor William D. Chandler's research has concentrated on the study of political parties, federalism and public policy. Publications include *Public Policy and Provincial Politics, Federalism and the Role of the State and Challenges to Federalism: Policy-Making in Canada and West Germany*, plus journal articles and book chapters on party government, Christian democracy, party system change, European integration and immigration policy. He is a member of the editorial advisory board of German Politics and has served on the Board of Directors of the Canadian Political Science Association.

William Drozdiak is the President of the American Council on Germany in New York. Before, he was the Executive Director of the Transatlantic Center created by the German Marshall Fund of the United States in 2001. Mr. Drozdiak worked for over 20 years as an editor and foreign correspondent for the *Washington Post*. For his coverage of NATO's air war in Kosovo, he was part of a *Washington Post* team selected as a finalist for the Pulitzer Prize for international affairs in 1999.

Ralf Beste has been a political correspondent for the weekly *Der Spiegel* since 2001, where he primarily covers foreign policy and security issues from Berlin. Prior to joining *Der Spiegel*, he wrote for the *Berliner Zeitung* in Bonn and Berlin as well as for the *Ruhr Nachrichten* in Dortmund and Castrop-Rauxel. From 1994-96 Mr. Beste served as spokesperson for the Ministry of Finance of Rhineland-Palatinate in Mainz. He received an MA in History from Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, in 1990 and from Bielefeld University in 1991.

Dr. Constanze Stelzenmüller has been the director of GMF's Berlin office since July 1st, 2005. She was formerly defense and international security editor at the German weekly *DIE ZEIT*, where, from 1998 onward, she covered a broad spectrum of issues, including NATO, European defense and security policy, military intervention in Kosovo and Afghanistan, the war on terror, and U.S.- German relations. She joined *DIE ZEIT* in 1994 to write about human rights, refugee crises, and the UN. Dr. Stelzenmüller holds a doctorate in law from the University of Bonn, as well as a Master in Public Administration from Harvard's Kennedy School of Government.

Next program at the Cicero Gallery:

March 10, 2008 – 17:00

Dr. Jeremy D. Mayer George Mason School of Public Policy

Jeremy Meyer is Associate Professor at the George Mason School of Public Policy who specializes in presidential elections, public opinion, racial politics, and foreign policy. He has published widely on American politics and his book "Running on Race: Racial Politics in Presidential Campaigns 1960-2000" (Random House, 2002) was selected by Washington Monthly as one of the best political books of 2002. He is the author of the forthcoming "Wired Politics: Journalism and Governance" (McGraw Hill) and is working on a new book examining public opinion in the U.S. about the Middle East.





